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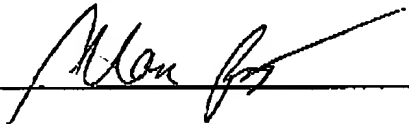
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Invention: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR TRANSMITTING REAL-TIME DATA IN MULTI-ACCESS SYSTEMS**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action of November 19, 2003, please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.